

## **AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS**

The listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

### **Listing of Claims:**

- 1.—21. (Cancelled)
22. (Withdrawn) A charge accumulation method, comprising:  
tracking a plurality of display transmissions from a server generating compressed video streams to a display unit which displays said streams, which transmissions utilize a variable video stream quality;  
determining, for each transmission, a quality level of the video stream; and  
generating a charge for using said transmissions, utilizing said determined quality levels.
23. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 22, wherein said display transmissions comprise TV program transmission.
24. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 22, wherein said display transmission comprises a transmission of a computer generated display.
25. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 24, wherein said computer generated display comprises a WWW browser display.
26. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 22, wherein generating a charge comprises generating a charge responsive to a predetermined quality level.

27. (Currently Amended) A method of interactive TV, comprising:

receiving, at an interactive TV, a compressed video stream representing a WWW page that includes indications for TV channels;

displaying, at an interactive TV, a the WWW page including indications for TV channels;

detecting an interaction of a user with one of said indications; and

displaying a TV channel on said interactive TV responsive to said detection of interaction.

28. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim 27, wherein said TV channel comprises a pay-on- demand movie.

29. (Currently Amended) A method of interactive TV, comprising:
- providing a compressed video stream representing a TV channel;
  - overlaying on said compressed video stream ~~an~~ a compressed video stream representing an interaction layer, including at least one control, without decompressing the compressed video stream representing the TV channel;
  - receiving from a viewer of said video stream an interaction with said control;
  - ~~wherein said overlaying comprises overlaying a compressed interaction layer on said compressed video, without decompressing said compressed video; and~~
  - modifying said compressed video stream responsive to said received interaction.

30. (Withdrawn) A method of generating a plurality of displays, comprising:  
generating a first set of display commands, by a first program;  
generating at least a second set of display commands, by at least a second program;  
differentially affecting said first and said second programs, to generate said display commands; and  
converting each of said first and said second sets of display commands into a compressed video stream,  
wherein said differentially affecting comprises differentially affecting to meet an instantaneous resource limitation.
31. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 30, wherein said resource limitation comprises a transmission bandwidth limitation.
32. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 30, wherein said resource limitation comprises a limitation on CPU available to perform said conversion.

33. (Withdrawn) A method of generating a plurality of displays, comprising:  
generating a first set of display commands, by a first program;  
generating at least a second set of display commands, by at least a second program;  
differentially modifying said first and said sets of display commands; and  
converting each of said first and said second sets of display commands into a compressed video stream,  
wherein said differentially modifying comprises differentially modifying to meet an instantaneous resource limitation.
34. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 33, wherein said resource limitation comprises a transmission bandwidth limitation.
35. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 33, wherein said resource limitation comprises a limitation on CPU available to perform said conversion.

36. (Withdrawn) A method of transmitting a plurality of similar compressed video channels, comprising:

- transmitting a base compressed image stream on a first channel;
- transmitting modifications to said base image stream on at least one second channel;
- receiving, at a display location, said first and said second channel;
- modifying said first channel utilizing said second channel; and
- displaying said modified first channel at said display location.

37. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 36, wherein one channel of said at least one second channel is targeted for said display location.

38. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 36, wherein transmitting comprises transmitting over a satellite network.

39. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 36, wherein different display locations utilize different ones of said at least one second channel to modify said first channel.

40. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 36, wherein said first channel carries a TV program and wherein said at least one second channel carries advertisements.

41. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 36, wherein said first channel carries a WWW site and wherein said at least one second channel carries personalizations of said site.

42. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 41, wherein said personalization comprises a scrolling of an object in said site.

43. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 41, comprising assigning a third channel for use as a base image channel for said display unit, responsive to an interaction with said WWW site.

44. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 41, comprising modifying an interactivity level of said site responsive to an availability of channels.